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PATENT

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 Appl. No. : 10/705,946  
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 Title : PROGRAMMABLE PROCESSOR AND METHOD FOR  
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.



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Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27



Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

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